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Dear Les,

EPO Patent Application No. 82 301286.9
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Thank you for your letter of 2nd March 1982. The amended claims and introduction have been incorporated in the application as filed.

The following are the filing details of the application.

Application No: 82 301286.9
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A copy of the application as filed is being forwarded under separate cover. Our debit note is enclosed together with a copy of the filing receipt.

I am writing separately on the Brazilian application. We have had a communication to the effect that claims to food products are not allowed and should be deleted. There is also the fact that (according to our own information and our associates' in an earlier case) chemical product claims are not allowed. Substantial further claim revisions will accordingly be necessary in Brazil.

Yours sincerely,

J.H. BASS

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